





The above educational and training categories are determined by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS). The BLS determines the Standard Occupational Classification that apply to these 11 categories. The Idaho Research and Analysis Bureau then combined similar training and educational categories in order to form 7 educational and training categories and calculatated a new median wage by applying the appropriate weights to each category according to the employment totals of each occupation. Also Idaho uses a statistical aging technique to improve the currency of the data for Idaho. Therefore the figures disclosed on this document and official BLS figures may slightly differ due to these varying statistical techniques.



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